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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE

Sir:

This is a response to the Office Action dated June 15, 2007, in relation to the aboveidentified application. This amendment is timely by virtue of the fact that it is being filed within four months of the date of the Office Action which set a three month shortened statutory period for response, along with a petition for a one month extension of time and payment of the fee for a one month extension.

Amendments to the claims are shown in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

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